

38 UNION MEN GUILTY IN DYNAMITE CASE WILL BE CALLED FOR SENTENCE MONDAY

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POLICEMAN FOX'S ACCUSERS SAID TO HAVE DISAPPEARED AFTER "TIP" OVER PHONE

Whitman Hears of a Mysterious Warning to Sipp and Dorian— More Graft Indictments Sought on Testimony of Women.

According to a story emanating to-day from the District-Attorney's office, information has been gathered over the telephone last Tuesday evening between two police officers which indicates that police influence drove George A. Sipp and Thomas Dorian, the chief witnesses against Patrolman Eugene Fox, out of New York.

The story is that influential police officers, approached by friends of policemen of minor grades under suspicion, sent word to Sipp and Dorian that they would be taken care of if they should drop out of sight, and that the hints were accepted by Sipp and Dorian as worthy of attention.

Sipp and Dorian testified in the Aldermanic investigation last week that they paid Fox \$100 a month for the privilege of running a disorderly hotel in Harlem. Fox was arrested on Tuesday. Within a few hours Sipp and Dorian vanished and policemen with subpoenas have been unable to locate them.

Sipp and his son Horace, also a material witness, have not been at their home in West One Hundred and Third street since Wednesday. Mrs. Sipp closed the house and took her departure early this morning.

WALDO THINKS THEY WILL APPEAR MONDAY.

Police Commissioner Waldo and some members of the District-Attorney's staff think that Sipp and Dorian are keeping out of the way to avoid annoyance, and will show up on Monday for Fox's arraignment. Mr. Waldo has notified the Detective Bureau that he wants Sipp to prosecute Fox and that special efforts must be made to locate the missing witnesses.

Because of developments of to-day and last night in the graft situation the Grand Jury will examine witnesses on Monday with the object of finding indictments against men in and out of the police department and the upper Tenderloin. Corroborative evidence also has been procured relative to Mrs. Goode's charge that, before Maas was introduced to her as the civilian collector, she paid two plainclothes policemen \$60 a month.

INDICTMENTS MAY LEAD TO CONFESSIONS.

Two women engaged in the business of keeping disorderly houses visited Assistant District-Attorney Goode in his office yesterday and positively confirmed Mrs. Goode's statements as to Maas. It is believed that new evidence has been brought out against Patrolman Skelly, to whom Mrs. Goode says she paid \$25 for the privilege of opening a place in One Hundred and Ninth street. Skelly, Maas and Sol Wolf, the last described as the "uptown" collector, are already under indictment.

The District-Attorney is waiting for one of the persons accused to confess. To the end of helping along such a confession, he is of a mind to induce as often as possible. Any of the persons under indictment may treat with the District-Attorney, for he feels that it would be a great public service to let all the little thieves go if, by their confessions, he could get to the big thieves behind the graft system.

When Fox was arraigned yesterday in the Tombs Court on charges ordered made by Commissioner Waldo it developed that efforts to serve subpoenas on Sipp and Dorian had been unsuccessful, both for the court prosecution and for the investigation which Deputy Police Commissioner Dillon is making at Police Headquarters.

"I'll put this case off until Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock," said Magistrate Karmochan, "and give the Commissioner

Frank Ryan, Head of Iron Workers' Union, and New Yorkers Convicted in Dynamiters' Case



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TWO SUICIDES AS POLICE ARREST MANY IN CRUSADE

Charges Against Business Men of Mystic, Conn., Stir City; Two Accused Kill Selves.

MYSTIC, Conn., Dec. 28.—The arrest of several business men in this village on charges involving moral turpitude has aroused the entire community. Two men have committed suicide within the last twenty-four hours rather than face court proceedings.

Of three men arrested to-day one is Nathan H. Newbury, the hardware merchant. Five of the men arrested are over sixty years of age.

Late last night the officers went to arrest Herman Haulich, a storekeeper. He asked permission to feed his horse in the barn. While there he plunged from an upper window and broke his neck.

Another man, Edward R. Williams, aged seventy-eight, of West Mystic, for whom Prosecutor Hewitt said he had a warrant, was found hanging in his dining-room to-day. All the arrested men in court to-day gave heavy bonds for trial in the Superior city.

More arrests are expected both here and in Groton.

MAYOR ADDS TO GRAFT CHARGE AGAINST CURRAN

Amended Answer to Libel Suit Incorporates Direct Accusation in Stand Scandal.

Mayor Gaynor filed an amended answer to the Supreme Court this afternoon to Alderman Henry H. Curran's \$100,000 libel suit. In his first answer the Mayor accused eight Aldermen besides Curran of grafting in the issue of new stand permits.

WILSON HONORED AT HIS OLD HOME ON 56TH BIRTHDAY

Virginia State Officials and Officials of Staunton Join in Celebration.

BIG CROWDS IN TOWN.

Governor Sees Three Women Who Danced Him on Their Knees When a Child.

STAUNTON, Va., Dec. 28.—With the music of a dozen bands, the cheers of thousands of people gathered in reunion from all parts of the country, President-elect Wilson stood in a glow of sunshine to-day reviewing a great parade. It was a tribute to the returning son of Staunton, who came on his fifty-sixth birthday to his native home.

Practically all the 12,000 residents of the town and many of its 25,000 guests joined in or cheered the parade.

Everywhere along the line of march flags and colors were spread. The President-elect smiled appreciatively as the demonstration proceeded with increasing noise and enthusiasm.

Before the parade Mr. Wilson received the town officials and the various committees which planned the celebration. The officers of the Staunton United States Cavalry, comprising the four troops sent here by the War Department as a compliment to the next President, paid their respects to Gov. Wilson.

Through these cavalry officers, Major-General Wood, Chief of Staff, U. S. A., sent his compliments to the President-elect. Gov. Mann and other Virginia State officials were present.

PRESENTED WITH MINIATURES OF HIS PARENTS.

As a birthday present the municipality presented to its distinguished guest two miniature portraits of the Rev. and Mrs. Joseph R. Wilson, parents of the Governor.

Old residents came by the scores to shake the Governor's hand.

STRIKERS IN CLASH WITH POLICE WHILE STATE BOARD SITS

Little Falls Mill Hands Fight as Others Tell of Poor Wages and Conditions.

LITTLE FALLS, N. Y., Dec. 28.—With the State Board of Arbitration sitting as mediators in the strike of the textile workers, hundreds of strikers, gathered in the streets, clashed with the police to-day. The first conflict came at the Phoenix Mills, where the police cleared the sidewalks of massed pickets; the second on Main street, where they dispersed the strikers' parade.

The Board continued taking the testimony of strikers to-day. Annie Koks, a machine operator at the Phoenix Mills, testified that the chief of police Long threw her down the steps of the strikers' headquarters the day the strike was called. Then, she continued, he threw three girls on top of her. This was while he was raiding the building to find the strike leaders.

Mrs. Annie Malark, who said she was twenty-four years old, and received a week for her work, testified that she and her husband lived in an eight-room house with twenty-three other persons. They slept three and four in a bed, she said.

Adam Kallina, a carding helper, testified that he received \$1.37 for ten hours work a day and lived in a room with four other men, for which they paid \$17.50 a month rent. John Fulton said he had worked in the mill for six years for \$8 and \$9 a week. To make this, he said, he had to eat his lunch without stopping his machine.

The hearing was adjourned until Monday.

SEES THREE WOMEN WHO KNEW HIM AS A BABY.

An unexpectedly happy incident of the Governor's visit was arranged by paralytic, was anxiously waiting to see the man who had been elected President, but whom she remembered as a two-year-old baby that she had often trod on her knee.

When Gov. Wilson was told that Mrs. Kayser had been counting the hours until he came he at once said he would visit her.

DEMOCRATS PLAN SINGLE BOARD FOR PUBLIC SERVICE

Republicans Will Lose Control Under New Bill Prepared for Legislature.

Gov.-elect Sulzer is said to have given his approval to a plan to legislate the Public Service Commission out of existence. Legislation to that end has already been decided upon by the Democratic leaders in the State. The first move has already been made and the bill which is to deal the death blow to the present institution is being drawn. It will come to light at Albany among the first batch of measures to be presented for action by the Assembly and Senate.

In place of the present system of two commissions a single body composed of seven members, five Democrats and two Republicans, is to be brought into being. Additional powers are to be given to the new body with reference to supervision over telegraph and telephone companies and other matters which experience has taught are essential, that powerful corporations coming under the authority of the Commission shall be promptly and finally dealt with in the public interests.

The Progressives have asked that they be accorded a representation on the new commission. It is a question if this will be granted. Their leaders will make a determined effort to smash the program as planned for the two Republican memberships. "Boss" Barnes is bitterly opposing the Progressive demand.

Patronage, it is explained, will not be reduced by the new measure. An equally large force of engineers, inspectors, investigators, counsel, clerks, office help and experts will be retained, but the entire work, affecting every public service corporation in the State, will be concentrated in the single body.

For the New York district alone the present Public Service Commission costs a million and a half dollars. The Board of Estimates has already appropriated this amount for the year 1913, but this money will equally be available for the new body.

The situation is immersed in politics. The Democrats want the places, but these could not be so readily obtained by any other means than by ousting the entire membership of the commission at once.

There are at present ten Commissioners, appointed by the Governor with the consent of the Senate. The two commissions—first and second districts—each have five Commissioners. The first district comprises the counties of New York, Kings, Queens and Richmond, the second the remaining counties of the State. The second commission has its offices in Albany. The salary of each Commissioner is \$18,000.

39-YEAR SENTENCES POSSIBLE FOR 38 MEN. JURY FINDS GUILTY

Dramatic Scene in Court as Labor Leaders, Headed by Frank Ryan, Are Found Guilty on All Counts in Indictments.

BUCKLEY AND SEIFFERT ONLY MEN ACQUITTED.

Wives of Prisoners Crowd About Them in Tearful Group—Jury Out 40 Hours—Sentence Monday.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 28.—Thirty-eight labor union officials to-day were found "guilty" of complicity in the McNamara dynamite plots, including the wrecking of the Los Angeles Times building. Two were acquitted. Frank M. Ryan, president of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers, was among the convicted. He with others was accused of using the union's funds to destroy the property of contractors who refused to recognize the union. The two defendants found "not guilty" were Samuel Buckley of Davenport, Ia., and Herman Seiffert of Milwaukee.

NAMES OF THE MEN DECLARED GUILTY.

The thirty-eight men declared guilty in the dynamite conspiracy case were:

Frank M. Ryan, President of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers.

John T. Butler, Buffalo, Vice-President.

Herbert S. Hokin, former secretary, and formerly of Detroit.

Olef A. Tveitmo, San Francisco, Secretary of the California Building Trades Council.

Eugene A. Clancy, San Francisco.

Philip A. Cooley, New Orleans.

Michael J. Young, Boston.

Frank J. Higgins, Boston.

J. E. Munsey, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Frank C. Webb, New York.

Patrick F. Farrell, New York.

John H. Barry, St. Louis.

Paul J. Morris, St. Louis.

Henry W. Leggett, Denver.

Charles N. Beum, Minneapolis.

James C. Conner, Chicago.

James A. Connelley, Chicago.

William Shupe, Chicago.

Edward Smythe, Peoria, Ill.

James E. Ray, Peoria, Ill.

Murray L. Pennell, Springfield, Ill.

William C. Bernhardt, Cincinnati.

Willford Bert Brown, Kansas City, Mo.

William J. McCain, Kansas City.

Frank K. Painter, Omaha.

Peter J. Smith, Cleveland.

George Anderson, Cleveland.

Michael J. Hannon, Scranton, Pa.

Edward E. Phillips, Syracuse, N. Y.

Charles Wachtmeister, Detroit.

Frank J. Murphy, Detroit.

Fred J. Mooney, Duluth.

Ernest G. W. Baser, Indianapolis.

Fred Sherman, Indianapolis.

Hiram R. Kille, Muncie, Ind., former organizer for the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners.

TWO MEN AND BOY KILLED WHEN TRAIN HITS SLEIGH.

Fatal Collision at Midday on Lehigh Valley Road Crossing Up the State.

ELMIRA, N. Y., Dec. 28.—The Lehigh Valley train on the E. C. and N. branch, due here at noon to-day, struck a sleigh in the village of Horseheads.

W. W. Kellogg was killed instantly.

Eugene Riker and a young boy, the son of F. M. Graves, died soon after being brought to Elmira.

Almost the entire staff of executive officials of the Ironworkers' Union was convicted. The only officials not on trial were J. E. McGarry, Cleveland, now secretary, and Ed Lewis, San Francisco, a member of the Executive Board.

All those adjudged guilty were found guilty on all the counts as charged in the indictments.

Seiffert and Buckley, the only two men out of the forty labor union officials to be adjudged not guilty, immediately were discharged from custody.

The jury was discharged and court adjourned until 10 A. M. Monday, at which time sentences will be imposed.

Possible punishments vary from a minimum sentence to a maximum of thirty-nine and one-half years, in the discretion of the Court.

Each prisoner as found guilty stands convicted of having in one instance joined a conspiracy to commit an offense against the United States Government, this being punishable by two years imprisonment or a fine of \$10,000, or both.

Each prisoner also stands convicted of twenty-five charges of illegal transportation of explosives on interstate passenger trains, each offense being punishable by an imprisonment of eighteen months or a \$2,000 fine, or both.

While the accumulated possible punishments are thirty-nine and one-half years the Court intimated in the course of the trial he would impose sentence in accordance with the degree of guilt.

After Judge Anderson had cleared the courtroom of all spectators and the families of the defendants, the thirty-eight prisoners were taken in custody by Deputy United States Marshals and special detectives and were taken to the Marion County Jail.

Dramatic scene as verdicts are announced.

The end of the historic trials came at 10 A. M., the jury having been out since Thursday at 5 P. M., forty hours in all.

At that time the jurors entered Judge Albert B. Anderson's courtroom, passed before the forty men on trial and, indicating the importance of what they were about to reveal only by intensely pale faces, sat down.

"Gentlemen of the jury, have you agreed upon verdicts?" asked Judge Anderson.

"We have," said the foreman, rising from his seat.

"His voice was like a whisper, but it echoed throughout the courtroom. The sobbing of women was heard from that part of the room where the wives of the defendants sat."

A bundle of white papers was passed from the jury box to Clerk Noble C. Butler. On these papers was written liberty or imprisonment for many more men than are usually tried by one jury. "Back in the rear of the courtroom

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WORLD WANTS WORK WONDERS